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**ΠΑΝΗΓΥΡΙΚΗ ΧΟΡΟΕΣΠΕΡΙΔΑ**  
το Σάββατο 17 Απριλίου 2010 από τις  
7.00 μ.μ. στο "PONTIAN HOUSE" (Pontoxeniteas)  
15 Riverview Road UNDERCLIFFE.

Η παρουσία των παρευρισκομένων σ' αυτή την ξεχωριστή χοροεσπερίδα θα γεμίσει χαρά την Δεύθυνση του σταθμού μας, γιατί θα δοθεί η ευκαιρία να γνωριστεί με τους ακροατές μας και να περάσουμε όλοι μια υπέροχη βραδιά.

Σ' αυτό θα συμβάλει και ο Μιχάλης Πλατύρραχος που με τους συνεργάτες του, Γιώργο Αποστολιδή, Άγγελο Γάτσο και Κωστή Πλατύρραχο, θα μας χαρίσουν ευχάριστες ελληνικές ώρες.

Είναι γνωστό ότι αυτό το μουσικό σχήμα, με τη λύρα το λαούτο, την κιθάρα, το μαντολίνο και το αρμόνιο που χρησιμοποιούν τα μέλη του μπορούν να παίξουν από κρητικό σκοπό και ποντιακά, από τσάμικο και τσιφτετέλι μέχρι ταγκό και βάλς, καλύπτοντας έτσι όλα τα χορευτικά γούστα.



Ο Μιχάλης Πλατύρραχος δεν χρειάζεται συστάσεις. Έχει καταξιωθεί στην παροιμία και κάθε αναφορά στο όνομά του είναι και ιδιαίτερη τιμή. Ο Γιώργος Αποστολιδής, ο Άγγελος Γάτσος και ο Κωστής Πλατύρραχος έχουν αφήσει το δικό τους στίγμα στα μουσικά δρώμενα της παροιμίας μας, με την μουσική τους κατάρτιση.



Ελάτε να περάσουμε όλοι μαζί μια υπέροχη Ελληνική βραδιά που θα θυμίζει πολύ **ΕΛΛΑΔΑ!**

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Παιδιά κάτω των 12 χρονών \$ 30.

Κλείστε έγκαιρα τις θέσεις σας για να μας δώσετε τη δυνατότητα να οργανώσουμε όσο το δυνατόν καλύτερα τη χοροεσπερίδα  
Τηλέφωνα: 97073408, 0416066138, 0410517973.

# ΡΑΔΙΟ - ΓΕΦΥΡΑ

Αποκτήστε το ειδικό ραδιόφωνο για να βάλετε την Ελλάδα στο σπίτι σας. Ακούτε και τους 7 ελληνικούς σταθμούς που εκπέμπουν στην μητροπολιτική περιφέρεια του Σύδνεϋ. Διαθέτουμε ραδιόφωνο για το σπίτι σας και ειδική συσκευή για το αυτοκίνητο. Μην αμελείτε να επικοινωνήσετε μαζί μας. Σας το φέρνουμε και στο σπίτι σας.



Για περισσότερες πληροφορίες: Phone: 97073408, Fax: 97093919. Mobile: 0416066138.



Condell Park Primary School was one of several schools taking part in Clean Up Australia Day. After donning gloves and with bags in their hands students **Madison Kakogiannis, Blake Harris, Nathaniel Chamron and Jaynin Tran** helped rid their school of any unwanted rubbish.

Photo by GEORGE VOULGAROPOULOS

## Greek bishop brands new church taxes hostile

ATHENS, (Reuters) - A senior cleric has accused Greece's socialist government of being hostile for imposing taxes on the Orthodox Church as part of a drive to tame a budget crisis that has shaken global markets.

Greece, where about 90 percent of the 11 million-strong population are Christian Ortho-

dox, will tax bequests and revenues from church property as it seeks to tackle a 300 billion euro (\$409.9 billion) debt pile.

In a country where a bishop sits on the board of the biggest bank and the top cleric swears in the government, many on the streets of Athens felt the church should do its bit given the sacrifices they are making.

"It was about time the Church paid. It's fair," said Christina Alexiadou, 55, an

accountant and frequent church-goer. "It can't be that only ordinary people pay for everything."

The Church of Greece, one of the country's biggest owners of prime real estate, has until now been largely exempt from taxes even though the state pays priests' salaries.

The government, which had announced earlier this month that the church would have to contribute to its budget drive, said late on Monday that church income from real estate holdings would be taxed at 20 percent.

Cash bequests will face a levy of 10 percent and property bequests a 5 percent charge.

"The 20 percent hits us right between the eyes," Bishop Anthimos of Thessaloniki told public television on Tuesday. "This is a hostile stand, I don't intend to hide it."

Details of the measures come just two weeks before Easter, the Orthodox Church's biggest festival of the year.

Polls show the majority of Greeks are ready to accept draconian austerity measures that include tax rises, pension freezes and lower pay for public sector workers.

"The church is wealthy and can help the country out of the crisis," 36-year old bus driver Alexandros Kagris said. "Isn't this what the church is for, to help people?"

By Renee Maltezu

## "The List of Silence" ...in Greece

Shocking testimonies of people who lived through the horror of torture, executions and death squads. Stories from prisons, tortments and torturers throwing out of airplanes prisoners that were still alive are presented in the documentary "The List of Silence". The documentary is directed by Nikos Vezyrgiannis and based on Pavlos Nerantzis's research and screenplay. After a long research, a world premiere of the documentary based on an issue, which still is an "open wound" for the world, will be presented at the Documentary Festival of Thessaloniki. The Operation Condor which aimed to eradicate political opposition was supported by the Catholic Church and the CIA. Thirty thousand are the desaparecidos, the missing from Videla's junta in Argentina and among them there are Greeks and people of Greek origin. Voices of protest also on Greece's attitude, the voice of a wife who lost her partner, of a brother who lost his sister, of a mother looking for the grandchild she's never met, a fugitive who lives in the past and looks hopefully into the future of Argentina. The List of Silence brings the names of the Greek origin desaparecidos to light and with them images from the past and the dreams of a whole generation which run the risk of forgetfulness. Justice has just begun in Argentina, even though thirty years have passed from the fall of the Videla's junta. By the end of 2009, 634 persons were accused for crimes against humanity in Buenos Aires. There were ten trials and 28 persons, militaries and torturers, were convicted. Trials against the leaders of the regime are still under process in Europe as well.

